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1. IVP NOMINEE BEGUM SYEDA ABIDA HUSSAIN AGREES COMMENCE IVP WASHINGTON SEPT 8.

2. IN ADDITION TO PROGRAMMING SUGGESTIONS REFTEL SHE WANTS FOLLOWING TO BE NOTIFIED HER ARRIVAL: DR. BARBARA METCALF, DEPARTMENT SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES, UNIVERSITY PENNSYLVANIA, MISS HEATHER REDFIELD, 185 WASHINGTON STREET, MARBLEHEAD, MASS., MRS. SAMINA QURESHI, 463 CORONA STREET, DENVER, COLORADIO. SHE BELIEVES LAST TWO WILL PROBABLY WANT HER TO STAY WITH THEM.

3. SHE WILLING TO SPEAK ON PAKISTAN UNDER AUSPICES ASIA SOCIETY, NEW YORK, PAKISTAN COUNCIL OF ASIA SOCIETY, WASHINGTON, OTHER ORGANIZATION INTERESTED FOREIGN RELATIONS. POST BELLIEVES SHE WILL PERFORM ADMIRABLY.

4. WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY MEET WELL-KNOWN WORKING JOURNALIST, A LEADING FICTION WRITER, OTHERS IN MEDIA AND WRITING. SUGGEST BARBARA WALTERS, TV PERSONALITY.

5. PLEASE NOTIFY PAKISTAN AMBASSADOR YAQUB ALI KHAN AND/OR DCM IQBAL REZA OF HER SEPTEMBER 8 - OCTOBER 7 U.S. TOUR AND
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INTENTION TO START WITH SEVERAL DAYS WASHINGTON.

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6. BEGUM HUSSAIN WISHES RETURN TO PAKISTAN VIA LONDON, GENEVA,
FRANKFURT, KARACHI, LAHORE.
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